

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE**

In Re:)
) Chapter 7
) No. 10-19817
ADAM R. GROSSMAN)
)
) EX PARTE APPLICATION
) AUTHORIZING THE TRUSTEE
) TO EMPLOY ACCOUNTANT
Debtor.)
_____)

COMES NOW the Chapter 7 Trustee, Ronald G. Brown, pursuant to 11 U.S.C. 503(b)(4), and states as follows:

1. The Trustee is the duly qualified and acting trustee in this case.
2. In order to carry out his duties as trustee, it is necessary for the trustee to employ an accountant to prepare and file for the bankrupt estate on behalf of the trustee any fiduciary tax returns which may be required. The Trustee proposes to employ Bruce Devereaux, CPA, P.S., with its office at 6044 Palatine Avenue North, Seattle, Washington.
3. The compensation to be paid to the accountant for services will be on a general retainer basis. No retainer has been paid by the estate.
4. Along with this application, the accountant has filed an application stating that Bruce Devereaux, CPA, P.S. has no conflict of interest in representing the estate.

WHEREFORE, the trustee requests this Court to enter an order authorizing the services of the accountant upon such terms and conditions.

DATED this 3rd day of January, 2012.

/s/ Ronald G. Brown
RONALD G. BROWN, Trustee, WSBA #8816

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